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Mr. Thomas J. Kelley
Assistant Director, Prot. Intelligence
U.S. Secret Service
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Kelley,

Your letter of the 16th says "all of the information we developed on Ferrie was contained in two reports, Secret Service Control Numbers 449 and 620", which you furnished to the Commission.

I do not find these in my file. I have no recollection of them. I presume, as happened in other cases, these got misfiled, for I am reasonably certain the Archives never supplied them to me.

It would be helpful to me, would simplify matters enormously and would not in any way be improper if you would, please, send me copies of them. If we do as we have in the past, as I believe you now know, this will at best take much time. I will send you a check for the cost or I will be in Washington about 9:30 a.m. the 27th, when my wife has a medical appointment near your office and can then pick them up and pay the xeroxing cost. If I do not hear from you by then I will then phone you.

For reasons not connected with this request, I have checked with the man who was general counsel for the Senate Committee from which the law came and he assures me it is proper for the agency of origin to do this. But if you have any doubt, please ask your own counsel. My desire is to avoid all the inevitable delays, the enormous waste of time and all the correspondence that should not be necessary.

You may at this point have no interest in Ferrie and those connected with him in various ways. However, if you do, I have a rather large file, with many names, not from any federal source and not from the Garrison office. It is available to you.

Sincerely,

Harold Weisberg